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In re the PATENT application of

Richard L. Goode et al

Serial No.: Not Yet Assigned

Filed: Herewith

For: Method of Making Ventilation Tube

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

**BOX PATENT APPLICATION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the subject divisional application

as follows:

In the Title

Delete the title in its entirety and insert the following new title:

--Method of Making Ventilation Tube--.

In the Drawings:

With the approval of the Examiner, please amend Fig. 2 to add reference numeral 26 as shown in red on the enclosed photocopy to indicate the flange described on page 7, line 24 of the specification.

In the Claims:

Cancel claims 1-14.